

PATENT**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace paragraph [0001] with the following amended paragraph:

[0001] The present Application for Patent is a Continuation and claims priority to Patent Application No. 09/503,031, entitled "A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MAXIMIZING STANDBY TIME IN REMOTE STATIONS CONFIGURED TO RECEIVE BROADCAST DATABURST MESSAGES" filed February 11, 2000, now U.S. Patent No. 6,728,300 B1 allowed, and assigned to the assignee hereof and hereby expressly incorporated by reference herein.

Please replace paragraph [0036] with the following amended paragraph:

[0036] The features, objects, and advantages of the present invention will become more apparent from the detailed description set forth below when taken in conjunction with the drawings in which like reference characters identify like features correspondingly throughout:

Fig. 1 is a block diagram of a cellular telephone system;

Fig. 2 is a timing diagram illustrating the timing of slots in a quick paging channel and a full paging channel;

Fig. 3 is a schematic representation of an exemplary embodiment of a quick paging slot of two sections;

Fig. 4 is a schematic representation of N broadcast category indicator bits to be transmitted on an auxiliary channel of the present invention[.];

Fig. 5 is a schematic representation of a modified quick paging channel slot of the present invention;

Fig. 6 is a basic flow chart of a method used by a base station of the present invention to transmit broadcast category notifications;

Fig. 7 is a basic flow chart of a method used by a remote station of the present invention to receive broadcast category notifications;

Fig. 8 is a diagram of the time relationship and association between the modified quick paging slots to the GPMs with which they are associated;

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Fig. 9 is a diagram of the time relationship and association between the conventional quick paging slots and the new forward broadcast indicator channel slots of the present invention to the GPMs with which they are associated;

Fig. 10 is a block diagram showing a simplified illustration of a remote station configured in accordance with one embodiment of the present invention; and

Fig. 11 is a block diagram showing a simplified illustration of a base station configured in accordance with one embodiment of the present invention

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